

POPS NAME ELECTORS

File an Official Ticket with Secretary Lawless.

BRYAN COULD NOT CHANGE PLANS

Chairman Ellison Disappointed in Efforts to Have the Candidate Speak at Clifton Forge—Interesting Week of Campaigning Planned—Notable Rally at Staunton—Hill's Flood Cheered in Struggle of His Foes—Joint Debate at Luray Side-tracked.

Special to The Washington Post. Richmond, Va., Oct. 22.—State Chairman Ellison was disappointed to-day in not hearing from Mr. Bryan, whom he had hoped to induce to speak at Clifton Forge to-night. Mr. Bryan was to speak at Hinton, W. Va., at 2:30 this afternoon, and through correspondence with the West Virginia chairman Mr. Ellison hoped to arrange for Mr. Bryan to have his car run down to Clifton Forge for him to speak there to-night and then proceed to Staunton.

This will be the most interesting week of the campaign in Richmond, from a Democratic standpoint. Hon. George C. Gorham, of Washington, and R. Lindsay Gordon, of Louisville, will speak here to-morrow night at the first public meeting of the Bryan, Stevenson and Lamb Club. Senator John H. Jeffries will speak on Church Hill Thursday night, and at the Clay Ward Activities' celebration of the Transcendental Club rally, Saturday, Hon. James Lindsay Gordon, of New York, Attorney General Montague will speak.

The Middle-of-the-road Populists have filed with Secretary of the Commonwealth Lawless notice of the candidacy of their candidates in Virginia, so that those who so desire may vote the straight Populist ticket. Following are the electors:

At large—W. H. Tinsley, of Roanoke County; J. L. Kibler, of Shenandoah County. District electors—Fourth, Cephas N. Stacy, of Amelia; Bush, Jr., of Stafford; Campbell, Jr., of Stafford; William H. B. Martin, of Albemarle; George W. Bradshaw, of Loudoun. Democratic Rally at Staunton.

Staunton, Va., Oct. 22.—The Democrats had things all their own way here to-day, the Republicans having no speakers. Addresses were made by Robert B. Lee, Jr., of Fairfax, and Senator Eugene Withers, of Pittsylvania. With a good deal of the younger John Lee discussed imperialism, trusts, and militarism, and surprised his audience by the adroitness with which he attacked McKinley and Hanna.

Senator Withers made the strongest speech heard here in the campaign in his effort to show how by successful Republican party, first with its financial policy, controlled by trusts, sought to strangle the republic, enforcing its death with a constantly growing standing army.

He said, however, that the Secretary, George, by their recent public utterances, would largely contribute to the chances of Bryan's success. Citing the Aldrich currency act, drawn by Secretary Gage, the speaker declared that act encouraged the endless chain draught upon the Treasury's gold reserve and authorized the Secretary of the Treasury to make any bonds at his discretion, without direction of the Congress or other governmental advice. Commenting on Mr. Gage's earlier congratulatory to the currency question was settled, he showed that a short time later he raised a hue and cry at the insecure condition of the nation's currency scheme. He said Mr. Gage had been reduced to piteous plight when Carl Schurz opened his mouth and made him look like a fool in silence.

The mention of Senator Flood's name was loudly cheered in the hall of the anti-Flood feeling. To-night Senator Withers addressed a big crowd of business men at the Democratic club rooms. A mutually refused a Joint Debate.

Luray, Va., Oct. 22.—A large crowd gathered here to-day, expecting a joint discussion between the political spellbinders, Congressman Hay, Mr. George C. Browning, and a large crowd of others represented the Democrats, while Hon. C. M. Gibbons, candidate for Congress, Rev. A. P. Funkhouser, of Harrisonburg, and Capt. C. M. Louthon, of Staunton, represented the Republicans. A proposition from the Democrats for a joint discussion between Congressman Hay and Candidate Gibbons was refused by the Republicans, while a counter-proposition from the Republicans for a joint discussion between Mr. Funkhouser and Congressman Hay was refused by the Democrats on the ground that Mr. Funkhouser is not Mr. Hay's opponent.

The speaking began in the court house at noon. Candidate Gibbons, Mr. Funkhouser addressing a large audience. The Democrats took possession of the court house at the conclusion of the Republican meeting, and a large crowd heard Congressman Hay and Mr. Browning.

Ethiopianism at Fauquier. Warrenton, Va., Oct. 22.—The Democrats at Fauquier were enthusiastic to-day as no time during the campaign. Attorney General Montague, Hon. John F. Rixey, and William Hodges Mann were the speakers. Each candidate drew up a list of the trusts, but all the chief issues came in for a full discussion. Montague was applauded frequently, and his eloquence made a telling effect. The Democrats were thoroughly united, and the Republican majority prevailed, and Fauquier's majority for Bryan will be greater than four years ago. M. J. Rodgers, Republican candidate for Congress, arrived in the afternoon and addressed a large crowd in the hall in the basement of the courthouse, composed almost entirely of negroes.

Montrose, Va., Oct. 22.—There was a joint discussion here to-day between J. H. C. Levey, of Essex, and C. C. Baker, of this place, representing the Democrats, and M. A. Coles, of Northumberland County, representing the Republicans. The attendance was small, but attentive and enthusiastic.

Manassas, Va., Oct. 22.—The Democratic Club of Manassas has arranged for an all-day meeting and fair at Friday, October 26, instead of Wednesday, as announced. The speaking will begin at 11 a. m. Edwin Newman, of Washington, is expected to be present.

Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 22.—The names of fifteen candidates for Congress in the Eighth district will appear on the official ballot. The public generally is aware of but two, Hon. John F. Rixey, Democrat, and Hon. W. J. Rogers, Republican, and will be surprised to find their names on the list. There are thirteen other candidates.

Congressman W. A. Jones addressed the Democrats at the courthouse here to-night. He had a large audience. He touched upon most of the issues of the campaign, the trusts and imperialism being strongly denounced and the administration criticized generally in vigorous terms. The Democratic club escorted Mr. Jones to the courthouse. Chairman H. H. Wallace presided.

A Bryan-Stevenson-Jones club has been organized in Reedy Church district, Caroline County, with headquarters at Penola. J. H. Mackin, Jr., is president, R. S. Hargrove, vice president, and J. H. De la Motte, secretary.

Woodstock, Va., Oct. 22.—The county election commission is in session here to-day, getting ready the official ballots for the coming election. The tickets will be the latest ever used under the present election law.

Special to The Washington Post. Norfolk, Va., Oct. 22.—The residence of Hurricane Branch, the detective, four miles from Suffolk, was invaded Sunday,

while he and his wife were at church, by Charles Williams, colored, who forced an entrance and attempted an assault on Minnie Jones, the cook. The woman locked herself in her room and screamed for help. Williams was frightened away, and was afterward arrested. He had a hearing to-day before Justice Bunting, who committed him to the county jail to-night. She would have shot the intruder had she been at home.

LUTHERAN DIVORCE PLAN.

General Synod Invited to Solicit United Action—Appointments Question.

Special to The Washington Post. Middletown, Md., Oct. 22.—At this morning's session the Lutheran Synod of the fifth ballot for the ninth clerical delegate to the general synod resulted in the election of Rev. C. S. Trump, of Martinsburg, W. Va. This completes the delegation. After the election delegates were elected as follows: Rev. J. Maurer, Hagerstown; U. S. G. Rupp, Baltimore; E. H. Delk, Hagerstown; Dr. J. G. Butler, Dr. W. E. Parsons, Dr. L. M. Kuhns, Washington; William Remsburg, Myersville; G. W. Baughman, Uniontown; G. A. Royer, Carmel, W. Va.

The delegation was instructed to resist strongly any proposed increase of the present apportionment.

After the session a resolution, offered by Rev. Dr. Owen, of Hagerstown, that the delegation to the general synod be instructed to lay before that body matters of marriages and divorces looking to uniform action by general Lutheran bodies of the country, was adopted.

Rev. S. W. Owens and Dr. Dunbar, Baltimore; Victor Miller, Lettersburg, and Messrs. W. A. F. Kemp and John C. Disal, elected directors of the theological seminary at Gettysburg after a long discussion. An amendment to the constitution was adopted, requiring licentiate to be examined on studies of the third year.

Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society contributed, during the year, \$3,777, besides boxes of supplies valued at over \$1,000.

Prof. Keedy, of Hagerstown, opened the session with prayer. A valedictory address was made by the secretary at Sabilla, Va., was reported.

A motion to adjust the apportionment controversy on the per capita basis was defeated.

In recognition of the blessings of the past year, and the hopeful future, the synod stood while the venerable and honored Dr. Valentine, of Gettysburg, offered prayer.

The place of meeting for next year was left to the officers to decide. The educational committee was instructed to take on its fund the young man from the vicinity of Middletown whose rejection was the cause of the synod's action.

The synod adjourned sine die at 5 o'clock. To-night Rev. John A. Rely, missionary to the South Sea Islands, on foreign missions, Revs. Stanley B. Heimer, Washington; Charles Reinwald, and George Enders assisted in the service.

NORFOLK SWINDLING CASE.

Special to The Washington Post. Norfolk, Va., Oct. 22.—William J. Brann, alias William Wentworth, of New York, was arrested here to-day by John Watson, of Congress, and arrested Saturday night in connection with an attempt to pass a worthless check for \$5 at Saks & Co.'s Main street store.

Brann was taken to the Police Court this morning. Brann was sentenced to six months in jail for attempting to obtain money under false pretenses. Watson was discharged.

Brann, who is, or has been, a United States postal clerk on the run between New York and Washington, D. C. The pair registered at the Atlantic Hotel Thursday as William Wentworth and John Watson. They are supposed to have come to this city from Baltimore, Brann, when first arrested, posed as a son of Police Magistrate Wentworth, of New York.

Peculiar Status of Negro Reprieved in West Virginia Last January.

Special to The Washington Post. Wheeling, W. Va., Oct. 22.—Lud Madison, who was sentenced to be hanged at Moundsville last January, seems to be about to escape punishment for the murder of a negro in Fayette, for which he was sentenced to the gallows. The case seems to have escaped the minds of those in authority, and Madison is still in the penitentiary.

The judge who sentenced him is dead, and Gov. Atkinson holds that the day of execution having passed he cannot be re-sentenced. As he was never sentenced to imprisonment, he cannot be tried again for his offense. He will probably be set free within a few days.

HELPING HAND IN DISTRESS.

Other Congregations to Aid Grove Church to Rebuild—Generous Offers.

Special to The Washington Post. Richmond, Va., Oct. 22.—Grove Avenue Baptist Church, at a general meeting to-night, decided to proceed at once to rebuild the handsome edifice burned Saturday morning, and appointed a building committee. The church is now in a ruinous state, and the building was destroyed by fire. The committee has already received generous offers from other congregations to aid in the rebuilding.

Medical Society of Virginia to Meet. Special to The Washington Post. Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 22.—Arrangements have been completed by the local committee for the meeting of the Medical Society of Virginia, which convenes in this city to-morrow night. The session will last three days. The meetings will be held in the Jefferson Auditorium on Main street, and the attendance of members is expected to compare with the best conventions of the past. Last year the society met in Richmond, and 312 members were in attendance. The society comprises very nearly 1,000 members.

Killed at St. Vincent's Hospital. Special to The Washington Post. Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 22.—Edward Harris, a colored workman, was dashed to death at St. Vincent's Hospital this morning by the falling of a freight elevator, upon which he was going to the tower on the hospital building, which is now in process of erection. The elevator was nearly to the top of the building when the cable gave way. It fell eighty feet. Harris was instantly killed. Coroner Odell held an inquest this afternoon. The evidence showed that Harris had been warned to keep off the elevator.

Identification as a highwayman. Special to The Washington Post. Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 22.—Watt Denison was held up and robbed of \$30 last night. To-day a well-dressed stranger, giving his name as D. S. Edwards, was arrested, and identified by Denison as one of his assailants. He had \$25 in counterfeit money and \$10 United States notes. Edwards answers the description of a gold-trick artist, who worked here about a year ago.

Fair Exhibit a Disappointment. Special to The Washington Post. Richmond, Va., Oct. 22.—The fair of the Farmers' Fair Association opened to-day. The exhibits are very disappointing. The attendance was large, but mainly on commercial lines. The fair will close to-morrow and the races the three days following will be the features.

The farmer race this evening was won by Miss Ray, owned by Herbert Montague, of King William.

CAROLINA COTTON TROUBLE ACUTE.

Locked Out Mill Employees Desperate, but Stand by Their Union.

Greensboro, N. C., Oct. 17.—The cotton mill trouble in Alamance County has reached a desperate stage to-day, as men, women, and children are idle as the result of notices posted by the mill owners some days ago notifying all operatives who would not withdraw from the textile union to be themselves discharged after the 15th. Very few, if any, of the operatives abandoned the union, and as the mill men remained firm, a majority of the mills in the county are either idle or running on a reduced scale.

Instead of crippling the industry, the order of the mill owners seems to have had the effect of strengthening it, numbers of new members having been received since the notices were posted.

After the notices were posted, the operatives were firm and determined to carry their point. No disorders have been reported.

If the difference is not soon adjusted or employment secured elsewhere, many of the operatives will starve, as the necessities of life. A majority of them are homeless and have practically no means. The textile union is taking steps to provide shelter and food for the needy.

WILL NOT MARRY JUST YET.

Rev. W. C. Underwood Explains Why He and Mrs. Bishop Did Not Wed.

Special to The Washington Post. Richmond, Va., Oct. 22.—Rev. William C. Underwood, the Presbyterian minister of Appomattox County who was to have married Mrs. Blanche Bishop, of this city, on October 17, which wedding did not take place, gives the reasons why the nuptials were not solemnized. Mr. Underwood's explanation comes from West Appomattox. He says that Mrs. Bishop some time ago obtained a divorce from her husband on grounds of permanent desertion.

After Mr. Underwood became engaged to her he received advice, he says, concerning the interpretation of the laws governing the church he represents that a divorce is not a bar to the propriety of their union under the circumstances. Later on, these doubts were sufficiently removed to justify him to proceed, and he secured a license and they were to have been married on the 17th instant.

After securing the license, in an interview between them, the subject was again brought up and more carefully considered, and they mutually agreed that the marriage should be postponed until the marriageable doubt was removed from their minds.

BATHER'S PECULIAR MISHAP.

Badly Burned and Almost Suffocated by Gas Stove in His Bathroom.

Special to The Washington Post. Richmond, Va., Oct. 22.—Mr. James Edmonds, of 40 West Marshall street, stenographer for the National Cash Register Company, came near being suffocated and burned to death while taking a bath yesterday. His condition is still serious.

In turning on the gas to light the hot water stove, Mr. Cosby, without knowing it, also turned on the jet for lighting. When he got into the tub he detected the odor and got up to turn off the gas, but faint and dizzy he fell against the stove. The latter tilted over and rested on his left side. The pain was so intense that the young man, though unconscious, groaned and almost shrieked. One of his sisters heard his cries and rushed to the bathroom. She found the door locked, but ran for an ax and broke it open. Her brother lay prostrate on the floor with the floor with him. The stoves were removed and the gas was shut off.

SUSPECTED OLD CRIME.

Negro Desperado Believed to Have Led Goochland Gang Many Years Ago.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 22.—Henry Brown, alias William Saunders, a notorious negro, who is believed to have been the leader of a gang of negroes who robbed the store of Mr. Mosby Henley, near Lees, in Goochland County, twenty-three years ago and shot both Mr. Henley and his wife, is believed to have been the leader of the gang had hidden in the house during the day, and at night attempted to stupefy the family with ether. This man stumbled over a negro house boy and arrested him.

The thieves then fired on the family from the outside, and Mrs. Drinard was fatally wounded and Mr. Henley seriously so. Nearly all the witnesses in the case are now dead.

WORK FOR TWO THOUSAND MEN.

Long Idle Manufacturing Plants at Wheeling, W. Va., Resume Operations.

Special to The Washington Post. Wheeling, W. Va., Oct. 22.—Three big manufacturing plants, employing over 2,000 men, have resumed work in this city. To-day the White Sulphur Spring Company has only run an occasional department for eight months, went to work in full in every department, giving work to 700 men. Orders were issued from the head office to the local management to get the works on full to-morrow, after being idle since last July. Repairs have been made and a long run is expected. Eight hundred men are employed.

The American Tin Plate Company has ordered the label plant in this city to be prepared for immediate resumption, after being closed since last July. The plant is now in operation, and the company has ordered five hundred men are directly employed.

Lee Murrill Killed by Brother-in-law. Special to The Washington Post. Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 22.—Robert Lee Murrill, nephew of C. C. Kirby, superintendent of the State Hospital for the Insane, at Clinton, Saturday night, stabbed his brother-in-law, Lee Murrill, so badly that he died early Sunday morning.

Murrill was drinking and became enraged when Murrill advised that he go home. He whipped out a knife and made a lunge at Murrill, cutting him severely on both arms. An artery was severed and death resulted next day. Kirby is under arrest.

Armed Guards for Smallpox Camp.

Special to The Washington Post. Clarksburg, W. Va., Oct. 22.—Word comes from the doctors in charge of the camp at Wallace, Harrison County, where 60 negroes who have smallpox or have been exposed to the disease, are quarantined, that the patients threatened to break out and return home. County Health Officer Dr. Morgan to-day sent thirty-five guards, armed with Winchester rifles, to guard the camp. Orders were given to shoot any one making an effort to escape.

West Virginia Murderers Captured.

Special to The Washington Post. New Martinsville, W. Va., Oct. 22.—State Henry, who killed John Reach, near Mine, yesterday, was captured to-day by officers of the railroad guard, tied to a tree, and guarded until Sheriff Blatt arrived this evening and took him in charge. George Carter and Charles Randall, negroes, supposed to be the murderers of Ed Carson, saloon-keeper, Sunday, were arrested on an Ohio River railroad, near Parkersburg to-day. It is said they confessed their crime.

Libeled Tag Released on \$7,000 Bond.

Special to The Washington Post. Norfolk, Va., Oct. 22.—The ocean tug Triton, libeled last week by Capt. Travolta, master of the schooner John A. Curtis, gave bond in the United States Court this morning in the sum of \$7,000 and was released by the marshal Mr. H. F. Morse, treasurer of the Knickerbocker Steam Tugboat Company, of Bath, Me. The tug Triton, is here to defend the libel suit.

DARING NEGRO HIGHWAYMAN.

Capt. J. H. Barney Knocked Senseless and Robbed by Desperate Near His Home.

Special to The Washington Post. Williamsburg, Va., Oct. 20.—Capt. J. H. Barney, about thirty years of age, was the victim of a daring highway robbery near his home, Jamestown Island, about six miles from here. Capt. Barney rode over from the island this morning on horseback. When in a small piece of woods on a farm adjoining the island on his way back, a burly negro confronted him with a question as to whether he intended paying off his hands to-day.

Capt. Barney noticed a heavy stick in the negro's hand, and the next moment he was struck senseless by a blow on the head. His horse had run to the house, and his people, searching, found him senseless at the roadside. When money and other valuables he had on his person were gone.

Capt. Barney was eventually recovered to come to town this evening to notify the authorities, and to offer a reward of \$100 for the highwayman's arrest. The latter is described by Capt. Barney as a strapping black negro, with a scar over his eye, and his people, searching, found him senseless at the roadside. When money and other valuables he had on his person were gone.

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REUNION OF VETERANS.

Call Issued to Survivors of Fifteenth Virginia Regiment.

Special to The Washington Post. Richmond, Va., Oct. 16.—The survivors of the Fifteenth Virginia Regiment, Confederate Veterans, have issued the following: "The members of the Fifteenth Virginia Regiment, Confederate Veterans, will hold a reunion at the Strasburg Hotel, 15th and Broad streets, on the 28th day of October, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m. All members are respectfully requested to attend this meeting. Old Fifteenth, come; our time is short; you may not be here to come next time."

This call is issued by the following members: Alonzo L. Phillips, Company D; J. K. Russell, Company G; P. L. Lumsden, Company H; J. R. Tiller, Company J; J. W. Newton, Company C; L. E. Mallory, Company E; Joseph P. Thomas, Company F.

DOUBLE LYING AVERTED.

Accompanying Negroes, Accused of Assault and Murder, Hurried to Hampton.

Special to The Washington Post. Hampton, Va., Oct. 20.—John Holden, a negro, who is alleged to have attempted to assault Miss Virginia Clayton, daughter of a prominent citizen of Petersburg, Va., on Wednesday, was to-day brought to Hampton jail for safe keeping, owing to the intense excitement over the case in Accomack and the insecure condition of the city. Holden is a native of the city. Sheriff Foster also brought another negro, Stran Foster, charged with the murder of a white man, George Leonard, to Hampton this evening. It is thought both Holden and Foster would have been lynched but for the sheriff's promptness in obeying the order of the county judge to bring the prisoners to Hampton. They were kept here until it is safe to take them back to Accomack for trial.

VIRGINIA OBITUARY.

Mrs. J. S. Borden, of Toms Brook, Shenandoah County, died at her home Saturday.

John Winters died Sunday of typhoid, at Martinsville. He contracted the disease at Virginia, where it is prevalent.

Mr. Virgil W. Rodgers, clerk of Supervisor Edward D. Bronkley, of Suffolk, died yesterday, aged sixty-nine years. Two married daughters survive her.

Mrs. Francis Harbottle, wife of Mr. John H. Harbottle, died suddenly Sunday at the residence of Thomas A. Harbottle, near Charlottesville, at her home. Her funeral took place yesterday afternoon.

F. M. Lamb, a cousin of Capt. John Lamb, died in Norfolk Sunday night. He was in the employ of the Southern Railway Company, where the funeral will take place.

Mrs. W. J. Moon, formerly of Fredericksburg, died Sunday at her home in Salem, aged sixty-one years. She is survived by her husband, two sons, and three daughters. Her remains will be sent to her old home for interment.

Mrs. Sarah V. L. Knight, widow of the late T. K. Knight, died at her home in Richmond, aged sixty-two years. She is survived by a daughter, Miss Ida H. Knight, of Wollaston, Mass.

Marshall France died suddenly Sunday afternoon at his home, Salem, leaving a wife and three children. He was a well-known man in the city, and though long ill, his death was unexpected. His widow is Mrs. Mary France, of the Confederate veteran. Interment was made in the city.

M. H. Minter, a Newport News contractor, died at his home in poor health, recently went to Pine Bluff, N. C. for change of air. Word was received yesterday of his death. He was 68 years of age. His widow and five children are in Newport News. He was a member of Newport News Lodge, Knights of Pythias; Comandante, Red Men, and Newport News Council, aged sixty-four years.

Mrs. Jane Macdon, widow of Edgar Macdon, died suddenly last night of heart failure, at the residence of Thomas A. Alcocke, in Culpeper. Her husband was a relative of the late ex-President Madison. She was 70 years of age. She was buried in the city.

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Mrs. Serena McChesney Hoghshead, widow of the late Meredith W. D. Hoghshead, died Sunday near Middlebrook, Augusta County, aged sixty-four years. Mrs. Hoghshead was a sister of Mrs. William S. and R. A. McChesney, two of the best known physicians in Augusta. She is survived by four children—John McChesney Hoghshead, of Richmond; M. L. Hoghshead, of Staunton; W. J. Hoghshead, of Middlebrook; and Mrs. J. O. Miller, of York, Pa., and Mrs. John Dunlap, of Georgia.

Transit Law Forces Glass Panel to Stop. Special to The Washington Post. Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—The enforcement of the transit law compelling all boys under fourteen years of age to go to school, has compelled the big Crystal Palace, which has been a short address, in which he contemplated the work of the boys.

CHARLESTON'S BIG EXPOSITION.

Immense Number of Applications for Space Filed—Bright Outlook.

Special to The Washington Post. Charleston, S. C., Oct. 21.—Under the plans determined upon by the directors of the South Carolina Interstate and West Indian Exposition Company, the main buildings of the exposition to be held at Charleston, South Carolina, will be the textile, agriculture, machinery and electricity, minerals and forestry, commerce and liberal arts, fine arts, transportation, woman's, educational, and negro buildings. It is expected that the exposition will be a success, and that a number of the States of the Union and of the enterprising cities will erect suitable structures for the display of their characteristic products and possibilities, particularly of the Southern States of the Union, as well as of the country at large, and in this way, at the opening of the new century, to cement more closely the bonds which now unite the parts of this great country.

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APPOINTS HIS OLD COMRADE.

Judge Dew, Who Fought with Gov. Tyler, Succeeds Auditor Ryland.

Special to The Washington Post. Richmond, Va., Oct. 17.—Judge John Garrett Dew, Auditor of the County Court of King and Queen, succeeds the late Josiah Ryland, Jr., as second auditor of Virginia. He was appointed by Gov. Tyler this morning, resigned the judgeship, and qualified at once and assumed the duties of his office. Judge Dew and the governor were in the same company during the war, and have been good friends ever since.

JIM CROW CAR LAW CHANGES.

Plan to Give Informants Half the Fines—Open Violations Are Charged.

Special to The Washington Post. Richmond, Va., Oct. 16.—An amendment to the Jim Crow car law will be offered when the legislature meets. It is decided to consider any general legislation. The provision proposed is to repeal the one allowing railroads to partition cars for the two races and require them to provide separate coaches.

Another amendment is to give to the person who gives information of violations one-half the fine, which is not less than \$50 nor more than \$100. It is claimed that the law is not enforced, and it is claimed that the law can be enforced.

FIRST SOUTHSIDE TOBACCO.

100,000 Pounds Sold at Petersburg—None of Finer Grades Offered.

Special to The Washington Post. Petersburg, Va., Oct. 17.—The first sales of the new crop of tobacco in the Southside, Va., was made to-day at the warehouse in this city. In all about 100,000 pounds were sold. The prices ranged from \$3 to \$11 per 100 pounds. Common grades were full as high as they were on the opening day of sales last year, while medium grades were lower. Tobacco of any length was in great demand. Very little good tobacco and none of fine grade was offered.

PUT GLASS IN THE PORRIDGE.

Discharged Negro Served Girl's Revenge—Family Warned in Time.

Special to The Washington Post. Charleston, W. Va., Oct. 17.—Mrs. M. P. Hudson told Mabel Warren, a colored domestic, that after to-day she would not be wanted. A colored girl in a neighbor's family cautioned Mrs. Hudson that Mabel had indicated the glass in the east room this morning would furnish her revenge. No one at any of that dish for breakfast to-day, and an examination showed the porridge full of powdered glass. The girl got away before she could be arrested.

Aged Woman Burned to Death.

Special to The Washington Post. Greensboro, N. C., Oct. 18.—Mrs. Nellie Shepherd, aged seventy-three years, was burned to death at her home in Greensboro, N. C., on Saturday night. She was 73 years of age, and had been ill for some time. She was found by her neighbors, and was taken to the hospital, but died before she could be removed.

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